FOREST INSECT AND DISEASE MANAGEMENT
U.S. FOREST SERVICE
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

REPORT OF AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE SURVEY

SURVEY AREA: Kennesaw Mountain National Battlefield Park

STATE: Georgia COUNTY: Cobb

DATE: 7/23/76 & 8/4/76 AREA WITHIN SURVEY BOUNDARY: 3,682.62 acres

PERCENT COVERAGE: 100 percent AIRCRAFT: Cessna 182 CREW: (aerial - Bassett
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SURVEY OBJECTIVES: Detect any forest insect or disease activity with special emphasis on southern pine beetle.

SURVEY RESULTS

Very little insect activity was noted on the Park. Four spots, ranging from 1 to four trees were detected in the aerial survey. Three of these spots were checked on the ground for cause of mortality and southern pine beetle activity. One spot south of Hickory Road (see attached map; spot #2) contained trees actively infested with southern pine beetle.

SUMMARY

There is very little insect or disease activity on the Park. Another detection survey will be conducted in the summer of 1977. Should insect or disease conditions change, Park personnel should contact the office listed below.

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